

## Message Text

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INFO OCT-01 AF-10 ARA-10 EUR-12 NEA-10 ISO-00 SIG-03  
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AF:HARROP

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O P 151349Z MAR 78  
FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO AMEMBASSY LAGOS IMMEDIATE  
AMEMBASSY LIBREVILLE IMMEDIATE  
AMEMBASSY BONN IMMEDIATE  
AMEMBASSY ADDIS ABABA IMMEDIATE  
AMEMBASSY LONDON IMMEDIATE  
AMEMBASSY PARIS IMMEDIATE  
INFO AMEMBASSY ABIDJAN PRIORITY  
AMEMBASSY ACCRA PRIORITY  
AMEMBASSY CARACAS PRIORITY  
AMEMBASSY DAR ES SALAAM PRIORITY  
AMEMBASSY ISLAMABAD PRIORITY  
AMEMBASSY JIDDA PRIORITY

C O N F I D E N T I A L STATE 066245

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PDEV, UNSC, SO, ET

SUBJECT: MULTILATERAL ACTION ON THE HORN

REF: (A) STATE 065221 (B) HAVANA 566

1. IN DISCUSSING THE NEED FOR URGENT MULTILATERAL ACTION  
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ON THE HORN PER REF A, POSTS SHOULD DRAW UPON REF B  
(BEING PASSED SEPARATELY) AS APPROPRIATE.

2. WE BELIEVE AUTHORITATIVE GRANMA ARTICLE INDICATES THE  
URGENT NEED FOR ACTION BY THE OAU OR THE UN TO URGE  
RESTRAINT ON ALL. IN THE ABSENCE OF PROGRESS ON THE NEGO-  
TIATING FRONT, CUBANS AND SOVIETS COULD WELL USE CONTINUING

TENSION IN THE AREA AS AN EXCUSE FOR BORDER INCURSIONS  
OR EFFORTS TO DESTABILIZE SOMALI OR DJIBOUTI GOVERNMENTS.  
AN INTERNATIONAL EFFORT MOUNTED PROMPTLY CAN DETER CUBANS  
AND SOVIETS FROM ACTING AS UNILATERAL ARBITRATORS OF THE  
SITUATION IN THE HORN. VANCE

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## Message Attributes

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